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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated June 28, 2007 and is being filed within the second month following the shortened statutory period set for a response to the Office Action. A Petition for Extension of Time to and including November 28, 2007 is filed herewith. If any additional fee is due, charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 209976.0018).

Please amend the application, without prejudice, as follows:

**Amendments to and Listing of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks and Conclusion** begin on page 6 of this paper.